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## *Agricultural Tourism & Land Use*

### ***Michigan News:***

[Organic Farming Boosts Biodiversity](#) (10-11-04) (*NewScientist.com*)

### ***National News:***

[Maize Maze Craze: Corny Labyrinths Become Agricultural Works of Art](#) (10-04-04) (*USA Today*)

[City Folks in Amish Country](#) (10-03-04) (*The New York Times*)

## *Boating & Water Issues*

### ***Michigan News:***

[Thunder Bay National Marine Sanctuary Breaks Ground on Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center](#) (10-26-04) (*PR Newswire*)

### ***National News:***

No news to report this month.

## *Business Travel*

### **Michigan News:**

No news to report this month.

### **National News:**

No news to report this month.

## *Casinos & Gaming*

### **Michigan News:**

[Backer of Proposal 1 Profited From Internet Gambling, According to NO CASINO Monopoly](#) (10-26-04) (PR Newswire)

### **National News:**

[California Tribes in Fight Over Gambling Rights](#) (10-05-04) (Hotel Interactive)

[Experts at Las Vegas Expo Offer Casinos Advice on Tracking Gamblers](#) (10-05-04) (Hotel Online)

[Gambling Industry Insiders See Few Brakes on the Expansion of Slots](#) (10-05-04) (Hotel Online)

[Casino Visits Catching On, Harrah's Survey Says](#) (10-16-04) (Hotel Interactive)

## *Cultural & Heritage Tourism*

### **Michigan News:**

[Thunder Bay National Marine Sanctuary Breaks Ground on Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center](#) (10-26-04) (PR Newswire)

### **National News:**

No news to report this month.

## *Economy & Jobs*

### **Michigan News:**

[Ryder Cup Adds \\$77 Million Into Detroit Metro Economy from Visitors](#) (10-07-04) (Hotel Online)

### **National News:**

[Economists Expect Job Creation to Pick Up](#) (10-05-04) (USA Today)

[Wisconsin Welcome: Keeping Wisconsin's Customer Service Top in the Midwest](#) (10-04-04) (Travel Wisconsin News)

## Internet Travel Planning & Booking

### **Michigan News:**

No news to report this month.

### **National News:**

[Online Travel Industry to Approach \\$50 Billion in 2004](#) (10-26-04) (*Hotel News Resource*)

## Legislative News

### **Michigan News:**

[MSU Extension's 2004 Statewide Ballot Issue Bulletin](#) (Undated) (*MSU Extension*)

[Backer of Proposal 1 Profited From Internet Gambling, According to NO CasiNO MoNOpoly](#) (10-26-04) (*PR Newswire*)

### **National News:**

No news to report this month.

## Lodging, Resorts & Spas

### **Michigan News:**

No news to report this month.

### **National News:**

[Hoteliers Talk Up the Recovery](#) (09-29-04) (*Hotel Interactive*)

[Themes of the Recovery: Creativity, Diversity](#) (10-01-04) (*Hotel Interactive*)

[New Airline, Hotel & Travel Industry Almanac 2005](#) (10-05-04) (*PR Newswire*)

[In Nebraska, the Stars Align](#) (10-06-04) (*Hotel Interactive*)

## Marketing & Promotion

### **Michigan News:**

No news to report this month.

### **National News:**

No News to report this month.

## Outdoor Recreation & Parks

### **Michigan News:**

[Detroit's Amusement Parks](#) (Undated) (*The Detroit News*)

[Salmon Leave Lake Huron, Causing Worry for Area Tourism](#) (10-05-04) (*Detroit Free Press*)

[Ryder Cup Adds \\$77 Million Into Detroit Metro Economy from Visitors](#) (10-07-04) (*Hotel Online*)

### **National News:**

[Puffs of Steam From Volcano Continue to Delight Tourists](#) (10-05-04) (*The New York Times*)

[Wal-Mart Promotes Parking Lot Living](#) (10-03-04) (*theboxtank.com*)

[This Is Nowhere: A Documentary Film](#) (Undated) (*High Plains Films*)

[Serving the Visitor 2003: Annual Report on Visitors to the National Park System](#) (Undated) (*National Park Service*)

## **Pleasure Travel & Tourism**

### **Michigan News:**

[Ryder Cup Adds \\$77 Million Into Detroit Metro Economy from Visitors](#) (10-07-04) (*Hotel Online*)

### **National News:**

[Traveler Sentiment Index Increases Slightly in Third Quarter](#) (09-30-04) (*TIA*)

[Travel Prices Increase More Slowly in August](#) (Sept. 2004) (*TIA*)

[Hurricane Impact on Florida Tourism May Extend Into 2005 According to New Survey](#) (10-05-04) (*Hotel News Resource*)

[New Airline, Hotel & Travel Industry Almanac 2005](#) (10-05-04) (*PR Newswire*)

[Travel Industry Making a Comeback](#) (10-26-04) (*CNN.com*)

## **Restaurants**

### **Michigan News:**

No news to report this month.

### **National News:**

No news to report this month.

## **Transportation**

### **Michigan News:**

No news to report this month.

### **National News:**

[Crude Futures Close Above \\$51 for the First Time Ever](#) (10-05-05) (*CBS MarketWatch*)

[New Airline, Hotel & Travel Industry Almanac 2005](#) (10-05-04) (*PR Newswire*)

[Wal-Mart Promotes Parking Lot Living](#) (10-03-04) (*theboxtank.com*)

[This Is Nowhere: A Documentary Film](#) (Undated) (*High Plains Films*)

[Instead of Paying Tax at Gas Pump, Someday You May Pay by the Mile](#) (10-04-04) (*Montana Associated Technology Roundtables*)

## *World Tourism*

[Canadian National Tourism Indicators](#) (Undated) (*CanadaTourism.com*)

[China's Tourism Revolution Abroad](#) (10-27-04) (*ehotelier.com*)

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